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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: I. Soward
Haruhito ONO et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2822
Application No.: 09/819,737)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 4343
Filed: March 29, 2001)	
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For: ELECTROOPTIC SYSTEM ARRAY,)	
CHARGED-PARTICLE BEAM	:	May 6, 2004
EXPOSURE APPARATUS USING THE)	
SAME, AND DEVICE	:	
MANUFACTURING METHOD)	

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SIXTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statements filed on October 23, 2001, April 17, 2003, September 4, 2003, November 6, 2003, and January 30, 2004, in compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The listed patents were cited during prosecution of copending U.S. patent application number 09/819,907, filed March 29, 2001, a copy of which was previously submitted in this application.

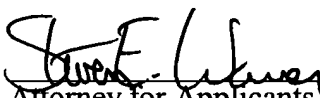
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

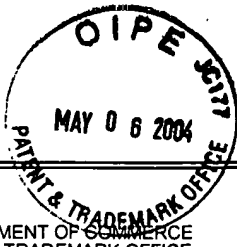
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